

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: UNDERPINNING PROPERTY NO 01316A

REF BANGKOK 10678

1. FOUR CONTRACTORS INVITED TO BID ON THIS PROJECT. HOWEVER, OHBAYASHI-GUMI AND GERSON & SONS MAY NOT PARTICIPATE. OHBAYASHI-GUMI IS CURRENTLY CONSTRUCTING MULTI-MILLION DOLLAR CHAO PHYA RIVER BRIDGE FOR THAI GOVERNMENT AND THEY ARE HAVING PROBLEMS BRINGING IN JAPANESE ENGINEERS FOR NON-GOVERNMENT PROJECTS DUE TO NEW ALLIEN OCCUPATION LAW. GERSON AND SONS IS BUSY ON TWO MAJOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IN CHIANGMAI AND UBON BOTH IN NORTHERN THAILAND.

2. THAI YONG PHANICH CO. AND CHRISTIANI NIELSEN CO. ARE THE ONLY TWO INTERESTED BIDDERS.

3. IN VIEW OF NUMEROUS QUESTIONS RAISED BY CONTRACTORS AND COMPLICATED NATURE OF WORK, FBO/BK SCHEDULING PREBIDDING CONFERENCE JULY 27 TO DISCUSS ALL ASPECTS OF CONSTRUCTION PROBLEMS, UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED. CONFERENCE RESULTS TO BE CABLED TO DEPT WITH VIEW TOWARDS ISSUING ADDENDUM ON ANY PORTION OF DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS REQUIRING CLARIFICATION, CHANGES, ETC.

4. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST.

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